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Winners Relate Experiences

Marjorie Lewellen of Banner School and Donald Laak of West Hope School Enjoy Week at Olds.

In order to give the children an idea of what takes place at the Olds School of Agriculture during the Short Course week, we have asked the winners of these courses at the Crossfield School Fair to write us of their experiences, and here they are:

Dear Editor:

On July 18, 1932, I was a School Fair delegate from the Crossfield district to the Olds School of Agriculture. As this was Crossfield's first year in the School Fair, perhaps it would be of interest to know how the 15 girls and 45 boys spent their week.

Each morning we were called at 6.30 and retired at 10 p. m.

Our morning work included physical training, cooking and sewing. At different periods throughout the week we had interesting lectures on dairying, poultry and horticulture.

Our cooking lessons consisted of making soups, biscuits, desserts, cakes, salads and canning. As we had to eat what we cooked, we tried to make it eatable.

In sewing we made a very pretty but simple dress.

The most important thing of the whole week was, perhaps, the Scholarship. It included one year's course, from October to March, and your board, tickets and \$10 for books at the Schools expense.

Before the scholarship can be used you must be sixteen years of age, and they prefer you to have your Grade XI. In order to win the scholarship, the girl and boy who rank the highest, as having done the best weeks work are declared winners. The girl who won the scholarship was Margaret Fraser from Naco. She has her Grade XII.

Each evening we spent in social activities in the school, such as softball, picture shows, lawn party and concert.

The end of a very happy, interesting and educational week came to an end too soon. We were all sorry to leave and wished we were (able) eligible to go again next year.

Here I must thank the Crossfield Board of Trade who sponsored the School Fair, and wish them every success in their future efforts.

Respectfully,

Marjorie Lewellen

Dear Sir:

During the short course at the Olds School of Agriculture the boys were instructed along lines especially beneficial to farm boys. The course covered demonstrations in horticulture, field crops, carpentry and livestock, we were also taught how to splice ropes and how to tie knots. Besides studies during the day, ample time was given for rest periods, games and physical training. Each evening entertainment was provided until approximately 9.45 p. m.

The course was very instructive and of great educational value and is certainly worth trying to obtain.

I wish to thank the Crossfield Board of Trade who made the School Fair possible, and also the Provincial Department of Agriculture for the Short Course.

Yours Sincerely,

Donald Laak

BORN--To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowney on August 2, a son.

Old-timers of the district will be sorry to hear that Mr. W. Nixon of Craigmyle is in poor health.

The many friends of Capt. Wigle will be glad to know that he is improving nicely following his recent illness.

BORN--To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trousseau, on Thursday, August 4, a daughter.

News Flashes

The Irricana baseball team will play the local team here on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

The web-worm menace at the north-end of town has abated for the present.

The warm weather of the past two weeks is filling out the early crops, but rain is needed for late crops.

The Crossfield School Board by reducing salaries will save the rate-payers approximately \$700 this year.

Beiseker held their annual sports day on Wednesday. The Crossfield baseball team defeated Beiseker 8 to 6 and brought home the big end of a \$30 purse.

R. L. Bracken of Big Prairie, appeared before A. R. Bennie J. P. charged with operating a motor vehicle without number plates. Fined \$5.00 and costs. Constable Jarman prosecuted.

William James Bouck, east of Carstairs, was found dead in bed on the morning of Aug. 3rd at the home of his nephew Sydney Bouck. Dr. Clark of Didsbury and Constable Jarman R.C.M.P. investigated. Death was caused by heart failure.

At a meeting of the Crossfield School Board last week, the following staff were employed for the coming year: Primary, Miss Edith Seville; Junior, Miss Alice Colcutt; Intermediate, Mrs. A. Emery; High School, Mr. D. L. Tweedle.

Town Council Hold Real Busy Session

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council was held on Monday evening last, with all members present.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Robt. Ure returned transfers and titles to certain lots south of town. It was moved by Councillor Nichol and seconded by Councillor Asmussen, that the title and transfer from L. Nierland to R. Ure be returned to Mr. Ure. The transaction being between the parties named, and not the Town. The lease on lot 23 to Mr. Ure was accepted.

It was moved by Councillor Asmussen and carried, that any lots owned by the Village and for sale, must be purchased through the Council at regular meetings.

Application of Melvin Patmore for crossing and culverts opposite the service station he intends opening in the old Huser barn.

It was decided to furnish lumber for two culverts 16 feet long to be placed at each approach.

Application of Jas. Sharp, for a permit to move his blacksmith shop to the lot next to the proposed Patmore Service Station on Main Street, be not granted for various reasons. This decision was unanimous.

The application of J. M. Williams for a permit to build an implement shed attached to his blacksmith shop, was granted.

The Council approved of the granting of full Old Age Pensions applied for on behalf of Mrs. M. Mills and Robt. Gibson.

It was decided that the cemetery caretaker be notified that no further work on cemetery grounds be done without the approval of the Cemetery Committee, Councillors Nichol and Asmussen.

The annual Sunday School picnic of the Madden United Church was held at the camp of Rev. H. Young at the Dog Pound on Wednesday afternoon. The picnic was largely attended and a very enjoyable time was had by all.

A feature of the day was the swimming races.

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Safe Cars And Reckless Drivers

Between six and seven o'clock on Tuesday morning is the safest hour in the week to ride in an automobile. The most dangerous hour is between five and six o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Automobile accidents happen most frequently in broad daylight, on clear days, when roads are dry. If the driver of the car is between 20 and 30 years old, the chances of an accident taking place are 81 per cent. greater than if he is between 40 and 50.

These are some surprising and little known facts about automobile accidents brought out by an analysis recently completed by United States insurance statisticians. They relate, of course, to that country, but inasmuch as conditions in Canada and the United States are so similar in so many respects it is possible that we would not be far astray if, in the absence of detailed information relating to Canada, these figures were applied to this Dominion as well.

What are the causes behind the rapidly increasing hazards of motoring? In at least nine out of ten automobile accidents, the cause can be traced directly to an error made either by a driver or a pedestrian. Only once in 200 times is the machine definitely at fault. The commonest mistakes made by a driver, leading to a fatality, are driving off the roadway, exceeding the speed limit for the time and place, and going ahead without having the right of way. Other important factors in accidents caused by drivers are: Reckless driving, driving on the wrong side of the road, skidding, cutting in, passing on a curve or hill, and failing to signal properly. Left turns are far more dangerous than right turns.

The "weaving driver," the "speeder," and the "road hog" are the three types of motorists who cause most highway accidents. Among pedestrians, those who cross the street in the middle of the block, walk in the direction of traffic on country roads, or step out into the street from behind parked cars are responsible for a majority of accidents in which those on foot are struck by passing autos.

In only 38,330 cases, out of 1,281,400 accidents studied, were the crashes due to mechanical failure. When the cars were at fault, defective brakes led, the list as a cause. In the order named, other defects contributed to the accident toll: Lack of chains on slippery roads, blowouts and punctures, one or both headlights out, defective steering gear, glaring headlights, tailights out or obstructed.

If you ask most people under what road conditions a majority of auto accidents occur, you will probably be told: "icy roads" or "wet streets." As a matter of fact, the insurance company experts found that only three per cent. of the 1931 accidents occurred on icy surfaces and less than 16 per cent. on wet surfaces. In 81 per cent. of all mishaps, the roads were dry. Also, 85 out of every 100 accidents resulting in deaths occurred under clear weather conditions. And most accidents happened in daylight.

When a motorist starts on a ride, if he meets with an accident, the chances that it will occur before he gets out of the driveway are one to 200. The chances of its occurring on a railroad crossing are slightly greater; of its happening on a bridge, one to 100; of its taking place on a curve, one to 25; on a state highway, one to five, and at a street crossing, one to two and a half.

What kind of drivers are most frequently in accidents: Young or old, experienced or inexperienced? Figures compiled in the survey upon these popular beliefs. For instance, they show that more than 91 per cent. of all drivers involved in accidents which resulted in fatalities or injuries were experienced motorists with a year or more practice at the wheel. Over-concidence is given as a major reason for the high percentage of experienced motorists who figured in mishaps.

So far as age is concerned, the most hazardous time for automobile driving is under 20. The accident record of drivers under this age, last year, was 39 per cent. worse than the average. The record of those between 20 and 30 was 29 per cent. worse than the average; between 30 and 40, three per cent. better than the average; between 40 and 50, 29 per cent. better; and beyond 50, 36 per cent. better.

While it is still a disputed point whether the increasing average speed of automobiles and the lifting of the speed limit on country roads is causing more accidents, the investigation shows undeniably that the stepping up of speeds has increased the seriousness of accidents when they have occurred. Incidentally, too, researches just made by the Chicago Motor Club reveal that travelling a mile a minute is three times as expensive as motoring 45 miles an hour. The extra 15 miles an hour trebles the upkeep costs of the car.

With such facts in mind as have been established by this survey, motor car drivers should govern themselves accordingly, and by so doing they may save themselves much sorrow. First, check over your car for defects which have been shown as the chief cause of accidents resulting from mechanical weaknesses. Then note the principal causes of accidents due to the driver himself, where and when they are most likely to take place, and the steps that should be taken to prevent them taking place. If an accident takes place, the responsibility is, first and foremost, your own; secondly, the driver of the other car; thirdly, the condition of your own car; fourthly, the condition of the other fellow's car. Therefore, it is up to you to prevent an accident.

Pertinent Questions

A little girl saying her hymn, "There is a green hill far away," was thrilled to hear her mother know the lady who wrote it. Then she repeated her psalm, and added gravely: "And did you know David, too?" It was as well also that the child who frequently repeated the hymn in which occurs the line: "And Satan trembled when he sees the weakest saint upon his knees," should at last have been prompted to ask: "But what was the little saint doing upon Satan's knees?"

Answer Was Unexpected

Little Anna asked her father why he didn't have hair on top of his head. He answered: "For the same reason that grass won't grow on a busy street. You know why you don't, do you?" "Sure," she replied. "It can't get through concrete." A twice-daily aeroplane service is being operated between Shanghai and Nanking, China. Fine sandpaper or a wire brush will restore the finish of suede shoes.

Troubled With Her Children Having Summer Complaint



Mrs. L. E. Montgomery, Ave. K. South, Saskatoon, Sask., writes:—"I am the mother of two children and have a great deal of trouble with them having summer complaint. In fact, several times every summer they were subject to attack. "I have found Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry to be the most effective remedy and keep it handy and it is immediately on the first sign of any bowel complaint. "I thank to 'Dr. Fowler's' I no longer dread the Summer months."

Appointed Acting President For C.N.R.



S. J. Hungerford, One Of Canada's Best Known Railroad Operating Officers

With the resignation of Sir Henry Thornton as Chairman and President of the Canadian National Railways, effective August 1, Mr. Hungerford, Operating Vice-President, has been appointed by the Board of Directors, as Acting President of the Company. Samuel J. Hungerford is one of Canada's best known railroad operating officers. His experience, has ranged, in more than 45 years, from the humble position of machinist's apprentice, where he commenced in 1886, to that of Vice-President in charge of Operation, Maintenance and Construction of Canada's largest railroad system, the Canadian National Railways.

Born in Bedford, Que., sixty years ago, S. J. Hungerford entered railroad work as an apprentice with the Southeastern Railroad, later part of the C.P.R., at Farnham, Que. Completing his apprenticeship he worked as machinist at many points in Quebec, Ontario, and Vermont, and in 1904 was appointed Chargeur en Chef at Windsor, Montreal.

From 1897 Mr. Hungerford worked as assistant foreman, locomotive foreman and general foreman at Farnham, Megantic and McAdam Junction, and in 1901 was transferred to Cranbrook, B.C., as locomotive superintendent with the Canadian Pacific. From Cranbrook, he moved in 1903 to Calgary as master mechanic of the Canadian Pacific's western division, and in the following year was made superintendent of the locomotive shops at Winnipeg, becoming in 1908 superintendent of shops.

In 1910, Mr. Hungerford joined the Canadian Northern Railway, as superintendent of rolling stock with headquarters at Winnipeg and in 1915 he moved to Toronto in the same position. In 1917 Mr. Hungerford became general manager of the Eastern Lines, Canadian Northern Railway, and in the following year was named Assistant Vice-President, Operating, Maintenance and Construction Departments of the Canadian National Railways with headquarters at Toronto. With the taking over of the Grand Trunk Pacific Lines, Mr. Hungerford, in October, 1920, became Vice-President in charge of Operating and Maintenance Departments of the Canadian National and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways and two years later, in October, 1922, he was made Vice-President and General Manager of these lines, with headquarters at Toronto, in which position he continued until his appointment, in February, 1923, as Vice-President in charge of Operation, Maintenance and Construction of the Canadian National System, with headquarters at Montreal.

Railroading conditions have altered vastly since the days when S. J. Hungerford commenced service as an apprentice at Farnham in 1886. Then, woodburning locomotives were still in use; cars were coupled by the old "winks and pins" and sidings were unknown. Hours of work were long and pay was small, and apprentice training systems were not brought to the stage where they are today when every effort is made to educate and encourage the boys to learn while they earn and fit themselves for light jobs.

Locomotives of 1886 were pygmies as compared with the 4100, 4100 and the 5700 classes of engines used today, on the Canadian National System, and the trains they hauled were mere toys compared with the huge freight loads and all-starved passenger trains which are now operated. Practices of handling locomotives in shops and on the road have altered with the growth in size of locomotives which have had to be "shopped" and many of the improvements in shop practices in Canada have developed under the watchful eye of S. J. Hungerford, who has always held the admiration of those who worked with him because he knew every phase of the work so thoroughly himself.

Proves Its Force

Printer's Ink Used To Propel Liner Across Atlantic

The liner "Scythia" came across the Atlantic, using printer's ink for propulsion. One of her six boilers was fired with a mixture of powdered coal and petroleum—80 per cent. oil and 40 per cent. coal. The other boilers were fired with oil.

Driving the liner with ink is of course, an experiment. If it is as successful as preliminary trials promise, it will open an important new market for British coal.

Bunker oil in British seaports costs 40 shillings a ton; coal only 13 shillings. The coal is easily ground to such a fineness that the particles suspended in the oil, forming a thick jelly-like mass which is an even better fuel than the oil alone. The ash, an impalpable dust, goes up the stack and is blown out of the funnel.

This is only a single item in the remarkable fight which British brains are making to meet the new economic conditions of the post-war world. The real fight is not in the realm of money or symbols or the unrealities of politics, but right where it always was—the application of intelligence to actual problems. It is a fight which requires patience and tenacity, and it gets less attention than it deserves in comparison with some of the sideshows.

The "Scythia's" new application for printer's ink shows the dynamic qualities of that substance in a startling new light. The stuff has been regarded since the time of Caxton, as more dangerous than gunpowder. The British engineer who has tamed the mighty force and turned it to the humdrum task of twisting a steam engine's turbines is a modern Ajax—The Winnipeg Tribune.

Cure For Hay Fever

Illinois Physician Advises Patients To Go To Hudson Bay District

If you are troubled with hay fever or go up to the Hudson Bay District or even further north, is the advice of the University of Illinois College of Medicine.

Reporting on the research into the pollen element, which the college is conducting with 24 men and 24 women, Dr. Clarence A. Johnson said the only way to escape is "go to the north, where there isn't any ragweed"—say around the Hudson Bay District.

Sores Flee Before It.—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way expressed by its low price.

Midget Mourned By Giant A touching friendship between Yarelo March, a 7 ft. 2 in. Russian giant and Andre Suchankoff, a midget, ended in tragedy when the midget, riding on his baby bicycle, collided with a motor van in London, England, and died of injuries. March, a professional strong man and circus performer, wept at the hospital when told that the midget had died.

Heal your horse while it works. Apply Douglas' Egyptian Liniment to sore necks and galls. A sure, speedy treatment.

Relief Of Other Times It is said that the antimacassar is coming back again. This is the ornamental covering which used to be used on the backs of chairs and sofas to keep them from the marks of the macassar oil in popular use for the hair at that period. Hence the name.

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Unusual Guest Of Honor

Skeleton Made London University Dinner Creepy Affair

A man who died a century ago was the guest of honor at a dinner given at University College, London, England.

He was Jeremy Bentham, great philosopher and lawyer, who was one of the founders of the college. He wore the same clothes as he did a century ago, and looked on with tacit approval at the 20 distinguished professors, economists, philosophers, and lawyers who toasted him.

The eerie dinner was given to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of his death. In his will he had expressed the hope that his disciples gathered together to discuss his great work, would have his skeleton in their midst.

For years the skeleton has sat on a shelf in a glass case, dressed in his own clothes, with the skull at his feet, and a wax effigy of his face in its proper place. The distinguished gathering drank to his health, and then proceeded to discuss his great ideas which have become a part of our legal and moral standards.

It was Jeremy Bentham who said, "The greatest happiness for the greatest numbers."

Mountain Climber Rescued

Faces Death For 22 Hours On Narrow Ledge

Perched on a narrow ledge of the Rocky Mountains for 22 hours, Dennis E. Hanley, of Toronto, was finally rescued by a mountain-climbing party aided by a Swiss guide. For nearly a night and a day Hanley was forced to stand carefully on the ledge, 1,200 feet high, always in danger of death from a landslide.

Attempting to climb Mt. Dennis with two companions, Hanley slipped in loose gravel and slid quite a distance before coming to rest on the ledge. For 22 hours he stood, afraid to stir in case another slide carried him to death on the rocks 1,200 feet below.

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Seek Pirate Gold

American Salvage Experts Hope To Locate Treasure Off Delaware Capes

Pirate gold and other treasure said to have been looted from two Spanish galleons and reputed to be worth \$40,000 is the prize for which New York and Baltimore salvage experts are staking a small fortune.

Despite previous attempts which failed, the modern fortune hunters, equipped with deep-water diving equipment, hope to locate the English brig "Debnaske," which sank off the Delaware Capes in 1798.

Miller's Worm Powders are a prompt relief from the attacks of worms in children. They are powerful in the action, while leaving nothing to be desired as a worm expellant, have an invigorating effect upon the youthful system, removing fever, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, and other ailments that follow disorders caused by worms in the stomach and bowels.

Lightships Modernized

More Powerful Masthead Lights Guide Mariners On Atlantic

The virtual completion of the modernizing of the seventeen outside lightships on the Atlantic coast, whereby all were given more powerful masthead lights for the guidance of mariners, has been announced by the lighthouse service of the Department of Commerce. This program of candlepower increases is terminated by the announcement that Charleston, S.C., lightship is to have a light of 16,000.

Tramp: "Won't you give a little something to an old hero of the battlefield? I have survived four wars."

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Construction of new railway lines in Canada was started this summer.

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Predicts Building Boom

Canada and United States Set For Construction Work

Canada and the United States are all set for a building boom, according to the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Commenting on a survey made in the two countries an association report says only a slight improvement in business conditions is required to release a large amount of building construction.

Two per cent. of 358 cities surveyed in Canada and the United States report a shortage in homes, the report adds.

Asthma Overcome. The triumph over asthma has surely come, Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved the most positive blessing the victim of asthmatic attacks has ever known. Letters received from thousands who have tried it form a testimonial which leaves no room for doubt that here is a real remedy. Get it today from your dealer.

Just Campaign Sign

Irish Truck Driver Ignored "Men At Work" Signs

The Financial World relays a pip of a gag from the Wall Street sector. An Irish truck driver and his helper were making delivery on Wall Street. At Broad Street he rounded the corner at a fast pace and was stopped, off excavation only by inches. His helper became excited and shouted to him!

"Didn't you see that sign hanging on the rope around that hole, reading, 'Show Down—Men at Work'?" "Don't be childish," retorted the Irishman. "Pay no attention to these signs. That's only Republican propaganda."

The British royal research ship, "William Scoresby," returned to England following an expedition to study the Humboldt current and the submarine plateau near the Falkland Islands.

DEFINITE HELP FOR DWELLERS IN APARTMENTS

Odorless way found to cook fish, cauliflower and cabbage

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Lives there a woman, in apartment, duplex, or otherwise, who has not at some time or other reluctantly forgone fish, cabbage, and cauliflower because of the odors they give off when being cooked? Or who has not suffered from other people doing so by who cooked these foods regardless?

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Baked or steamed fish is particularly delicious done this way. No fishy odor in the kitchen, no gummy kettle to clean. When roasting meat, line the pan with Canapars. It prevents the fat and juices from burning, and eliminates scouring of the pan afterwards.

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Although railways and the automobile have provided a means of rapid travel, there are countless places in the quiet of the forest, out of reach of either. It is such places, approachable only by canoe, that invite the adventurer to partake of the wonders of nature. The railways and the development of good roads have, however, made the majority of canoe routes in Canada easily accessible, and one need not travel far from the majority of Canadian cities before reaching the embarking point of an enjoyable trip.

In certain parts one may follow the streams for a long summer outing and never see a village or a town, yet civilization lies so close that return is easily possible. Waterfalls, rapids large and small, lakes of singular beauty hidden deep in the forest, and islands covered with pine and spruce trees are some of the interesting features encountered en route. In some places one may travel hundreds of miles without meeting obstacles of any kind.

There is a remarkable contrast between the conventionality of modern life and the full naturalness of life in the great forest, where one may relax, amid the beauty of natural surroundings. A strange appeal of imagination comes to one while following the routes of the historic explorers and contentment prevails amid the constant change of beautiful scenery.

Canadian lakes and rivers are renowned for the variety and abundance of their fish. Brook and lake trout are numerous, the latter often weighing from fifteen to thirty pounds while other species of fish are plentiful.



ful. Eastern Canada is well provided with waterways, well suited to travel by canoe. Canal systems, rivers large and small, rapids, falls, lakes, stillwaters and all the requirements for an enjoyable canoe trip, await the devotee of the paddle. Whether it be a cruise through well settled regions, or an adventurous journey through the wilderness, the canoeist will find an almost unlimited number of lakes and streams.

The waterways of western Canada, in days gone by, assisted materially in unveiling the mystery of the great country between Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean. Radiating from Lake Winnipeg, are routes of romantic interest. Nestling among the mountains of the coast are many beautiful lakes, also streams that wind through the hills, where sport for the angler and hunter may be found.

The National Development Bureau of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, has prepared a series of four booklets entitled "Canoe Trips," copies of which may be had by our readers, free of charge. The series covers the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Ontario and Western Canada. Further detailed information is available to those who require specific data on any particular trip.



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PUFFED SLEEVES A FETCHING FASHION FOR THE LITTLE JUNIOR MISS

Here's a simple sweet dress for girl of 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. It's an inexpensive blouse print in red and white. You'll find it the most simple dress to fashion. The ample skirt fullness makes it especially suited to the lovely soft cottons. The applied flat neck band trim may be of a contrasting colour, which can be repeated in the tie-belt and in bias bands in the scalloped neckline. Yellow plique, voile, blue and white polka-dotted dimity and chalk pink sheer linens in checked pattern are cute ideas.

Style No. 378 requires 1 1/2 yards of 38-inch material for the 8-year size. Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How Adversity Reacts

Brings Out Best and Worst in Human Nature

A general storekeeper and his wife out in a small Iowa community wrote off \$75,000 worth of debts from their books the other day—and told their debtors to forget it. At about the same time a chauffeur in New York, who owed two brothers \$50, was lured by them into a dentist's chair, where all his bridgework was taken from him, and, after he had been robbed of all his clothes except his trousers, was left to shift for himself as best he could. Adversity brings out the best and the worst in human nature. The duty of brother-keeping is put to a severe test. The whole country is in the same boat. Those who exact their pound of flesh rock it. Those who live by letting and helping others to live, are casting bread upon the troubled waters that surround it.

Railway Man Retires



W. C. Blake, Canadian National Railway Official Had Long Career With Company

Mr. Blake, Auditor of Payrolls for the Western Region, Canadian National Railways, who retires from that position on July 31, after completing 43 years of continuous service out of a connection of 54 years in companies now comprising the National Railways, was born in Liverpool, England. He entered the service of Edwin H. Wood & Co. of that city, European Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, as office boy in October, 1878, remaining with Mr. Wood and his successor, T. W. Edwards, until June, 1888. In the spring of 1889 Mr. Blake came out to Canada, and on August 1st of that same year entered the service of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada in the Audit Department at Montreal, filling various positions therein up to the end of December, 1902. On January 1st, 1903, he entered the service of the Canadian Northern Railway at Winnipeg as clerk in charge of statistics in the Audit Department, was advanced to the position of Chief Clerk to General Auditor in December, 1910, and on removal of General Audit Office to Toronto in November, 1918, was appointed Divisional Accountant for Western Lines, which position he held until final consolidation of the Canadian National Railways when he was appointed Auditor of Payrolls for the Western Region, in March, 1923.

Warrant Of Appointment

Given To Firm Supplying Goods To Royal Household

The use of the Royal Arms and the words "By Appointment" is a privilege to those firms which supply goods to a Royal household. No one else may use them. Actually, the firms to supply goods are selected by the Master of the Household in a Royal palace, and each receives a Warrant of Appointment. These warrant-holders have a special society of their own to safeguard the privileges they enjoy, and they hold an annual banquet.

Dawn Was Late

The audience thrilled as Jack Bravely, the hero, killed the last of the Indians. Then the hero gazed at him. Suddenly his voice rang out.

"See!" he cried. "The dawn breaks bright upon your totem heights!"

Still darkness reigned.

"The dawn! The dawn!" he shouted, stalling about the stage "it breaks! The dawn."

A head popped over the "mountain top."

"Old red, gunner!" said a scene-shifter. "Don't be in such a hurry someone's bin 'at turned the gas off!"

Canada's annual income from her wild life resources is estimated at \$53,000,000.

Some Outstanding Facts About Canada's Present Standing In The Empire

Not Always a Sailor

Columbus Got Taste Of Sea From Father-In-Law

The Portuguese Islands, of which Madeira is the chief, have a charm of their own. Not all have recalled that Christopher Columbus once followed a girl to this, her island home. She was Menina Perestrelo, whom he had met at her school in Portugal. He married her in 1473, making his home first at Porto Santo and then at Funchal. His father-in-law was a mariner and with him Christopher got some of his taste of the sea. In 1492, wrecked sailors drifted into Funchal and their pilot before he died gave Columbus his charts and papers. It was studying these that gave Columbus his ideas of an unknown land in the West.

Gas Pressure Dropping

Tests Made At Turner Valley Give Some Cause For Uneasiness

Tests made by the Turner Valley Gas Conservation Board reveal that gas pressure in Turner Valley fields is dropping quickly. The tests are being made with a view to curtailing gas production in an effort to prolong the field's life.

Compared with the situation 11 months ago, the tests show, there has been a reduction in gas pressure by nearly 200 pounds per square inch in the north and central parts of Turner Valley. If rigid conservation is not enforced, the board maintains, wells in this area will be unable to supply gas to Calgary under their own pressure in less than three years.

Portrait Partly Tailored

Artist Forgot Buttons and They Were Worked In

Should the portrayed likeness of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University ever decide its coat should be buttoned, buttonholes now have been provided. An observant Harvard student, living in Lowell House where the large portrait hung for a year, discovered that the artist painted two buttons on the suit, but forgot the buttonholes. But that has been "repaired" by the addition of two finely tailored buttonholes.

Planning Peace Crusade

Foes In War Will Fight Airplane Across Atlantic

A German and a British airplane, who tried to kill one another 15 years ago in battle, announce they intend to make a westward air crossing of the Atlantic as a crusade to show the futility of war.

The airman are Baron Von Schleich, so-called "Black Knight" of the German flying forces, and Major Christopher Fryer, known as the "Mad Major" of the old British Royal Flying corps. They plan to make the trip, they said, in the near future and they will be side by side in the cockpit.

"We propose to make a long tour of all the big cities to try to instill in people's minds the ghostliness of war. We want to meet Eddie Rickenbacker, Colonel Bishop and other aces and get them to join our peace crusade," the baron said.

A geologist of the Field Museum says: "The quantity of gold present in the crust of the earth has been estimated as one-half of one-millionth of one per cent. yet gold is not included among the really rare elements."

Pisa, Italy, is one of the twelve cities forming the Etruscan League.

Sessions of the Imperial Economic Conference in Ottawa Brought Into Relief Outcasts of the Empire

Canada's present standing in the empire and the world. Here are a few, prepared by the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Canada with an area of 3,690,043 square miles is the largest country within the empire and comprises 27 per cent. of the empire's total area of 13,491,977 square miles.

Canada leads the world in the production of newspaper, nickel and asbestos; holds second place in the production of gold, platinum metals and cobalt; third in the production of zinc and silver and fourth in the production of copper, wheat, automobiles and lead.

Canada leads the world in the export of wheat, newspaper, nickel and asbestos; holds third place in the export of wheat flour; fourth place in the export of automobiles and wood pulp and fifth place in the export of rubber tires. She ranks high also in the export of a wide variety of other products.

Canada stands seventh among the trading nations of the world, and only second to Great Britain among empire countries.

Canada trades with over 100 different countries, of which over 32 are within the British Empire.

Canada has provided approximately one-third of the total supply of world wheat entering into international trade during the past two months.

Canada stands second in per capita consumption of developed hydro power.

Canada's fisheries are among the most extensive in the world.

Canada is recognized by the League of Nations as one of the eight leading manufacturing nations of the world.

Canada's chief eastern port of Montreal is the largest inland port of the world.

Canada's eastern ports are closer to Britain and northern Europe than any other port of the western hemisphere, and her Pacific ports are from one to four days closer to Japan than are any other ports on this continent.

Canada comes second in total mileage of steam railways among the countries of the world.

Canada stands fourth among countries in the number of motor vehicles in use, and comes second in per capita ownership, or approximately one to every eight persons.

Canada is only exceeded by one country in the proportion of telephones in use and the number of calls.

Parrot Is Good "Watchdog"

One pet paid for its keep in London when thieves raided a house in Mayfair. A householder trained his parrot as a "watchdog" to protect his property and recently it had a chance to display its skill. Polly flew at the raiders and drew blood. Feathered and overturned furniture testified to the ferocity of the battle. The robbers were captured and told the court how they had been driven off by the screeching, fighting bird.

The skin of a porpoise is an inch thick.

"Please, madam, the pipe has burst and the kitchen is full of water."

"Give me my bathing dress quickly."

—Lustige Blätter, Berlin.

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Newspaper Advertising

The Popular Medium Of Publicity Used By The Major Industries

Major industries continue to show a preference for newspaper advertising over that of other mediums, the American Newspaper Publishers' Association reported at New York.

The association's bureau of advertising announced the results of a survey showed 435 national advertisers spent \$143,365,000 in newspaper advertising last year. Magazine space was used by 190 of these firms to the extent of \$78,317,515, and 121 used radio broadcasts entailing an expenditure of \$21,223,862. The bureau reported that newspapers were the favored medium in 25 of the 32 industrial groups represented.

Whining Is Unpopular

People Indulging In Self Pity Have Few Friends

Many men and women are a prey to their moods. They don't handle life but are handled by it. As a consequence they are often badly treated just because they have let life get a strangle hold on them rather than keeping the upper hand themselves. One of the most devastating moods that one can indulge in is the mood of self pity. Nobody loves a whiner. Complaints may be heard by our readers, free of charge. The series covers the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Ontario and Western Canada. Further detailed information is available to those who require specific data on any particular trip.

One-Sided Disarmament

Britain Has Reached Limit Unless She Blazes Disaster

As a matter of fact, Great Britain ever since the Armistice has been disarming on the most extensive scale. Other Powers have not so far followed her example. Figures given by the Italian representative, Signor Grandi, at Geneva, showed that between 1925 and 1930 the world's total expenditure on armaments rose by \$126,000,000, while British expenditure fell by \$3,000,000. Can we go further in one-sided disarmament without risk of disaster?

Motorists Prefer Blue

Black is declining as the favored finish for automobiles, giving way to blue, it was revealed by the latest color index of leading automobile manufacturers in Detroit. Blue predominated in June among all cars sold, the figures indicated.

Soviet Russian Talking Pictures

Have been drawing large audiences of Russians in Harbin, Manchuria.

Will Young Chaplins Outshine Famous Dad?

Recently signed on a two-year contract to make five pictures, the children of Charlie Chaplin and Lita Grey Chaplin, his former wife, will shortly make their debut before the cameras and klieg lights of Hollywood, taking their first step in the career that brought their father world renown. The boys, Charles Jr. and Sidney, are still too young to have any definite ambitions as to the type of roles they would like to play, but their mother says they will not make any attempt to mimic the style of comedy which their father is famous for. Chaplin himself is said to be displeased at his children's attempt to attain a place in the Hollywood firmament.



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"This photograph makes me look ten years older."

"Then you won't need to have another Major's taken for ten years."

—Vart Hen, Stockholm.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The gas pressure in Turner Valley field is dropping quickly, tests show.

Rumors are current that negotiations for the release of Mahatma Gandhi are under way.

Foreign grown potatoes imported into Britain will be subjected to a duty of £1 a ton.

Sir Richard Threlfall, chemist and engineer, who rendered valuable service to the Allies during the World War, died at Edgbaston, England.

The Prince of Wales said that he believed this year would witness the first move toward the world's return to better times.

At an Essex Girl Guides' rally at Thorndon Park, Brentwood, the princess royal presented a bronze medal to Eva Mitchell, aged 11, who rescued her baby sister from drowning.

When Mrs. M. Stansall, aged 102, recently made her first flight at Mansfield, England, she insisted that her pilot, Sir Alan Cobham, the famous airman, loop the loop.

The Chinese Government has placed a \$40,000 order with Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company, Limited, for apparatus for a new beam wireless station, near Shanghai, capable of broadcasting also.

Quoting an 1833 statute which excluded the legal profession from arrest while going to and from court, E. L. August, Chicago attorney, was dismissed in court when charged with speeding 51 miles an hour.

Young Britons won't have to wrinkle brows any more learning the names of all the English kings. A thoughtful manufacturer has provided them with a card bearing the names engraved on the handle.

The telephone service between Great Britain and Egypt was inaugurated by a conversation between Mr. Baldwin, speaking in the Prime Minister's room in the House of Commons, and Sidky Pasha, Premier of Egypt.

Some Memory Experts

Both Women and Men Have Done Remarkable Work

There was once a mathematical wizard, a young chap who was rather stupid in other respects, but could stand beside a railroad track while a long freight train was passing by, jot down in his brain the numbers of every box car, and after the train had passed recite the long list of five and six cipher numbers without one error. Memory experts have done some remarkable work in memorizing whole books, long legal instruments, and other literature. In the case of military spies it is often necessary for them to memorize secret orders so that they cannot be caught with written evidence on their persons. A mine. Essay Neumann has memorized the Old Testament and can recite it from beginning to end. She now is learning Shakespeare's plays by heart.

Seeks New Adventure

Capt. John T. Randall, Skipper of the "Tim Alone," Goes North

A new phase of an adventurous career commenced recently when Captain John T. Randall, skipper of the run-runner "Tim Alone," sunk by the United States coastguard in 1920, left Edmonton for the Great Bear Lake radium fields. Captain Randall will be in charge of a boat used by a party investigating claims in the radium field.

A New Apparatus

An electric apparatus has been invented that blows hot and cold. In the cooler seasons a hot current is shot from it by the use of a fan and a heater, but during the heated term the current is permitted to pass over a container filled with cracked ice or even ice water.



Button's first day.—Musket, Vlen.

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Contract Bridge

By Hamilton B. Hatch, Canadian Club, Toronto
Defensive Tactics

In my previous article a general outline was given of the high card and distributional strategy necessary for the overcalling hand to hold when making a defensive overall. It was shown that, when vulnerable, the overcaller must have a stronger hand both in high cards, and in taking tricks in the suit bid, than when not vulnerable. Also that, when a bid of two is necessary to overcall, the hand overcalling must be considerably stronger especially when vulnerable. What I will try to show today is how far it is good bridge to carry defensive bidding.

This must be answered by an analysis of the invulnerable side of the score sheet. An average contract rubber may be said to average one thousand points profit to the winners. This one thousand points of the final game of this analysis, is divided into four hundred points and six hundred points. The four hundred points represents the concealed or invisible value of the first game of the rubber. The six hundred points represents the concealed or invisible value of the final game of the rubber. If then, a first game of a rubber is worth four hundred points, it follows that defense which stops a sure first game at a cost of four hundred points, is good defense. Notwithstanding the hard fact, that the defense partnership has against them in the honor column a definite four hundred points. Still if the incurring of this four hundred point penalty stops the game by the adversaries, the defense players have really broken even. If, however, after the deal is completed and the four hundred point penalty has been incurred, it is found that the opponents could not have made game, then the penalty incurred is a total loss, to the penalty incurrers. It follows then, that defense bidding must be predicated on two basic factors:—First. It is certain that the opponents can make their contract. If it is not certain, then as a rule, it is best, rather than overbid and take a penalty, to allow the opponents to play the hand with the hope of defeating them. If it is certain that the opponents can make their contract, then the defender must know how large a penalty he is going to incur, and that knowledge constitutes the second basic factor.

It is necessary for the overbidding side to closely approximate, through their knowledge of their combined holdings, together with a knowledge of the combined holdings of the adversaries, the number of tricks they will take when playing the defensive contract. It is assumed always in this discussion that the defender's contract has been doubled.

The following table shows the penalties which are allowable to defenders in order to save game.

To save first game the defenders may be set three tricks doubled. If the contract is set less than three tricks, the defenders show a profit. If set more than three tricks the defenders show a loss.

To save second game, when the defenders are not vulnerable, a set of four tricks doubled may be taken. If the set is less than four tricks, the defenders show a profit, if more than four tricks they show a loss.

To save rubber game a set of two tricks doubled may be taken. If less than two tricks the defenders show a profit, if more than two tricks a loss.

Defense Against Partial Scores. About one game in four on the average is made by a side having a partial score. It follows then that a partial score is worth one quarter of the game score premium, plus the partial score itself. This gives an invaluable value to any partial score of between one hundred and fifty and two hundred points. The factor of safety in defense overbidding to save partial scores is very small and it takes very close figuring by the defenders to successfully defend against partial score contracts. As a rule the most expert bridge player is in difficulties, when trying to figure whether he is going to be set two or three tricks. If to save partial score he is set three tricks doubled, he has suffered a big loss. If he is set two tricks doubled he has broken even, and if he is set one trick doubled he has made a profit.

To sum up then, defensive overbidding is a very important factor in Contract, but its use must be predicated on precise card valuation methods, and also an ability by the player to estimate closely the losing tricks in the combined hands, the contract is played in the overbid.

Science has figured that the earth travels 584,000,000 miles on its annual trip around the sun, and that more than 1,601,600 miles are travelled by the globe every day.



MONEY-LENDER: "Well, my friend, you have a very rich fiancée have you not?"

CLIENT: "No. You see, I broke off the engagement when a handwriting expert gave me an unfavorable report of her character."

MONEY-LENDER: "Oh, indeed?"

CLIENT: "Yes, and the handwriting expert married her."—The Humorist, London, England.



AMAZINGLY ATTRACTIVE IS THIS LOVELY DRESS

Suitable for normal or larger figures.

Here's a nice day dress, so full of charm and modishness. It has the built-up waistline and softly draped cowl neck, so becoming and liked. The skirt is slenderizing too with bias hip seaming and length giving panel at the front and at the back.

Dark blue and white crepe silk print with plain white is stunning as four originals.

A black and white striped cotton voile is very effective, as are polka-dotted batiste prints and white tub silks.

Style No. 650 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust. Size 36 requires 2 1/2 yards 39-inch printed material.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coil carefully.

How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

Bird Fooled Them

Hundreds of people in England tried to entice a stork from its perch on a Grimbury roof recently, offering morsels of food and speculating on the strange fact that it could remain motionless on one leg for so long. Time. A. Sutcliffe, bird collector, and owner of a private zoo, came along. "The bird's stuffed," he said.

"I have always maintained," declared Charles, "that no two people on earth think alike."

"You'll change your mind," said his fiancée, "when you look over our wedding presents."

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

RHUBARB JUICE

Rhubarb juice is particularly valuable for fruit beverages, and for combining with other fruit juices to lend tartness to jellies. It is also good for jellied desserts and pudding sauces. It may be prepared from the stalks that have become too tough to cook in other ways.

Cut the rhubarb in small pieces, add just enough water to cover and simmer until very soft. Strain the juice through a jelly bag. To each quart of juice add two cups sugar. Heat until the sugar is dissolved. Bring to the boiling point. Seal in clean, hot jars or bottles.

CREOLE CUSTARD

3 cups hot milk.
1/2 cup sugar.
2 eggs.
1/4 cup cold coffee.
Pinch of salt.
Scald milk in double boiler. Beat egg and add sugar and salt. Pour hot milk in egg mixture, stirring well. Put the mixture into double boiler and cook, stirring until it thickens like cream. Strain the custard into a dish to cool, then add coffee and chill.

Memorial For Adventurers

Danes and Norwegians Plan To Erect Cairn At Churchill

Danes and Norwegians of the Lutheran faith, are planning to erect a memorial cairn at Churchill to the memory of Captain Jens Munk and his party of 65 adventurers who founded "Wintharva," on the shores of Hudson Bay in 1619. Announcement was made in this effect at Winnipeg recently by Rev. B. M. Herreming of Pine Creek, Minn.

Munk was sent out by King Christian the Fourth of Denmark and Norway in 1619. With the party was Chaplain Rasmus Jensen Aarhus, first Lutheran pastor to set foot in America. Along with 60 of the party, the pastor died of disease during the terrible winter of 1620, leaving Captain Munk and two men the survivors of the ill-fated expedition.

Hurried Preparation

Chairman Thought Quickly When Introducing Famous English Novelist

Sir Hall Caine was the guest of honor one day at a literary dinner, and it fell to Thomas Nelson Page, the American novelist, to introduce him.

Just before rising to do so, Page passed his menu card to Caine with a request that he autograph it.

"After you have spoken," whispered Sir Hall.

"No, no—do it now," said Page.

Caine obeyed, and later he asked his introducer why he had been in so great a hurry to obtain his signature.

"Well," said Page, "if you must know, it was because I wanted to be able to say truthfully that I had read something you had written."

Abbreviated Ancestor

For easy acceptance of things a trifle unusual it is hard to beat the small boy looking at the bust of his late grandfather—the bust mounted on a little circular stand. Having asked his mother if his grandpa was very wise and good, he added:

"And was that all there was of grandpa?"

Defendant (in loud voice): "Justice, justice. I demand justice."

Judge (rapping for order): "The defendant will please remember he is in a courtroom."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
AUGUST 7

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Golden Text: "Thou shalt love Jehovah thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might."—Deuteronomy 6:5.

Lesson: Exodus 19:1 to 20:11.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 137:1-4.

Explanations and Comments

The First Commandment: Worship God Exclusively, verse 3.—When these laws were promulgated, from Sinai the world was given over to the worship of many gods, and the words, "Thou shalt have no other gods before Me," mean "In addition to Me."

The first commandment implies God's unity; it forbids polytheism, the worship of false gods.

"What a man loves, that is his god," Luther reminds us, and justifies this declaration by adding that what he loves he carries in his heart, goes about with it night and day, sleeps and wakes with it, be it what it may—wealth, power, pleasure or renown.

"There are a great many things which God will put up with in a human heart," says the Bible.

"For I Jehovah thy God, am a jealous God," says the Bible, "jealous of my honor, of the use of images which turn the worshiper's mind away from Me while they represent Me."

There is a danger that a crucifix, which is but a symbol, may come to be regarded as a charm, a divine talisman, and insensibly become so.

Important in a worshiper's mind as to hide from him the One it symbolizes.

"Visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children, upon the third and fourth generation of them that hate Me." A young man who asked a college professor why the text did not say that the sins of the fathers were visited upon the children to the seventh and eighth generations as well as to the third and fourth, received this answer: "Because there will be no seventh or eighth generations."

"This edict is supported by a great physical law which proves that nature is the friend of righteous living and the foe of its opposite. Vice shortens life, weakens posterity and pollutes its blood. Vice lengthens life and invigorates posterity, insuring its bodily health and intellectual strength."

The children of the wicked man repudiate their parental heritage or the children of the good forsake the ways of their fathers. Here a conflict of principles arises. The law of heredity is offset by the law of free choice.

The Fourth Commandment: Reverence God's Day, verses 8-11.—The seventh day is to be distinguished from other days by abstinence from labor. "The Sabbath was made for man," Jesus declared. The needs of body, mind, and spirit require one day of rest in seven.

Where Silence Rules

No Word Is Ever Spoken In German Monastery

In the broad orchards of the monastery of Marawald, in the Elbe, Germany, the monks are busy with the singing of the winds in the trees and the songs of the birds. The monks who prune the trees and pluck the fruit are silent. Theirs is the strictest Catholic order of penitents in the world. From abbot to lay brother there is no word spoken for a living, always in complete silence. Their food is simple, and their monastic garb may be changed only every eight days. All of the inmates of the monastery sleep together on plain boards in one room.

Michigan Shop Sells Bait

Lake fishermen at Pontiac, Michigan, may obtain bait from "Ye Old Worm Shoppe," a stand located near one of Oakland county's most popular fishing resorts. "Clerks" at the "Shoppes" sell worms at six dozen for 25 cents.

Works In A Circle

Two flocks of sheep having been placed on the Berlin Central aerodrome at Berlin, Germany, to keep down the grass, sheep dogs and shepherds have been employed to keep the sheep out of the path of "planes."

Gus: I'll have you understand there's good blood in my family.

Gulliver: Yes, and how much did they pay for the transfusions?

Home economics specialists point out that washing fine china with too hot water increased the possibility of its chipping.

It would require 10 centuries to spend one billion dollars at the rate of one dollar a minute.

Canada Exporting
Less Wool

Manufacturers Are Using More Of Home-Grown Product

"Three times as much Canadian-produced wool was bought last year by the Canadian industry as was exported," said Major Douglas Hallam, Secretary of the Canadian Wool Association, speaking in Toronto. "The use of Canadian wool is steadily increasing, due to improved merchandising methods adopted by sellers, the 30% increase in yards of woollen cloth woven in Canada, and the duty placed on Argentine wool."

In a report issued through the National Research Foundation the mathematical research which Canadian wool gets to market are outlined. Abattoirs buy live lambs and sheep, the wool is marketed as pulled wool, and over 80% of such wool is bought by Canadian manufacturers. Seventy seven out of every hundred pounds of wool and knitting mills bought wool direct from farmers. One hundred and eight firms listed as wool dealers of co-operative associations handled Canadian wool for re-sale. Approximately five million lbs. of the clip was used in home industries.

This Burglar Alarm Works

Sounds Siren, Explodes a Bomb and Imprisons Thief

The smash-and-grab jewel thief, who has infested England for the past few months, has met his equal in science.

Neither the vigilance of the police, nor the precautions of jewellers have succeeded in diminishing the number of these brazen robberies. But it will take the best criminal brains in the world to carry on in the face of a new precautionary invention.

A demonstration of the invention was given before jewellers at Southend-on-Sea. A jeweller turned himself into a robber for the purpose of the demonstration.

A hole large enough for a man to pass was made in a jewelry shop by smashing it in with a blackjack. Then a number of melodramatic things happened.

First a deafening siren went off which could be heard for three-quarters of a mile around. A gas bomb exploded, followed by a smoke bomb which cast a screen about the jewels and blinded the raider.

As though this were not enough a secret steel panel snapped across the window, imprisoning the raider and protecting the jewels.

Brain Controls Fast Or Slow Reading

Average Speed Is Around Six Words Per Second

Six words per second, or about four and one-half hours for a standard size book is good average reading speed, and most people can aspire to reach this seemingly extraordinary rapidly. It is the brain, not the eye, which determines the speed of reading. The eye cannot move steadily, but must move in a series of jerks with pauses between. These pauses are needed to see the printed page clearly, but still more to give time for the meaning to be grasped.

Visits Largest Active Crater

Glacier Priest Returns From Thrilling Adventure In North

After conquering Alackchack, largest active crater in the world with a circumference of 21 miles, and a drop of 3,000 feet from rim to floor, by air and foot, Rev. Father Bernard H. Hubbard, Glacier priest of Santa Clara University, has returned from the north and is resting at Victoria after five months of scientific exploration, packed with thrills and incidents. With him he has brought an official record of the highest crater bed temperatures known to man.

Four women and two men, who started from Melbourne, Australia, by automobile six months ago, have arrived at Dover, England, after having motored 12,000 miles of their tour overland.



"I can't engage you. I haven't enough work for the men I have."

"That does not matter. Very little work will keep me going."

—Vart Han, Stockholm.

BRITAIN'S AIMS ARE OUTLINED AT CONFERENCE

Ottawa, Ont.—The Empire Conference moves forward to its climax. The statement issued by Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the British delegation—while ostensibly a review of tariff advantages enjoyed by Empire goods in the British market—makes clear that the British delegation aims to secure:

(1) Reductions in the rates of duty now imposed by the Dominion on British goods.

(2) Curtailment of the power of customs authorities to impose arbitrary valuations for duty purpose.

Although not stated as such, they are Dominion concessions Great Britain evidently has in mind, if she is to maintain or extend the preferences she now grants to Empire goods under her new tariff system.

Around British headquarters there is keen conjecture how far the Dominions will be prepared to advance along these lines. The Dominions, on their part, are less anxious to know how far Great Britain will be ready to reciprocate with preferences on natural products, what she will be prepared to do in regard to Russian dumping. So far, British headquarters again assert, the British delegation has made no offer to tariff preferences on wheat and meat.

War Debts Revision

Senator Thinks It Might Be In the Interests of the United States

Washington.—The view that war debts revision might be to the interest of this country was expressed recently by Senator Carter Glass, Democrat, Virginia, in discussing the proposal of Senator W. E. Borah, Republican, Idaho, for a world conference to consider debts and other post-war problems.

Talking informally with newspapermen about the Borah proposal, the former secretary of the treasury said he had stated "explicitly" in the senate a few weeks ago that he dissented from the view that there was to be no readjustment of foreign indebtedness.

"It pointed out," Glass said, "that aside from sentimental aspects of the question it might come to our own essential interests to readjust the indebtedness."

Discuss Money Rates

Instability of Exchange Occupies Attention of Imperial Conference

Ottawa, Ont.—Representatives of the United Kingdom, the Dominion of India and discussed the decline in commodity prices and the instability of exchange rates. It was the first business meeting of the Imperial Conference Committee on monetary and financial questions.

"The discussion will continue," so ran the brief official announcement following the meeting. It had already been intimated that, after an exchange of views, a sub-committee will be constituted to explore the details of currency, exchange and price declines.

Expect Treaty With Africa

Ottawa, Ont.—Negotiations between Canada and South Africa since the opening of the Imperial Economic Conference have been so successful that a trade agreement between them is expected shortly. It was made clear that this treaty will not conflict with the broader negotiations of the conference.

New Stamp For Manchuria

Harbin, Manchuria.—New Manchoukuo postage stamps have appeared following the suspension of Chinese postal service throughout Manchuria. Japan will handle all Chinese and foreign mail bound for the new Pu-Yi Government. This is taken to mean recognition of the Pu-Yi Government by Japan.

Must Stay Away

Belfast, Ireland.—Nationalist members of the Northern Ireland party received a resolution regarded as equivalent to a command from the "Irish Republic Army" calling upon them to attend no more sessions of the Ulster House of Commons.

Adhere To Agreement

London, Eng.—Spain notified the British Government recently that it will adhere to the European consultative pact, first negotiated by France and Great Britain.

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Gorgulov Found Guilty

Assassin of President Paul Doumer Must Pay Fine

Paris, France.—Dr. Paul Gorgulov was found guilty of assassinating President Paul Doumer, of France, at the close of his trial.

Witnesses, telling of Gorgulov's life, said he had to struggle against frequent hysterical outbursts.

Gorgulov protested violently when one alienist said that while not mentally deranged he could not be called entirely normal.

Ivan Lazareff, a Russian laborer, declared on the stand that Gorgulov had been a member of the old Russian cheka, or secret police, and testified that Gorgulov and other members of the cheka captured him on one occasion and tortured him, twisting his arms and beating him, burning his arms and bending back his fingers until they broke.

Two of the defence alienists said Gorgulov unquestionably was insane.

Outlines Air Mail Service

Iceland Route Offers Advantages Says Captain Von Gronau

Montreal, Que.—An air mail service from Europe to the Pacific Coast was briefly outlined by Captain Wolfgang von Gronau in an interview with the Canadian Press.

"The steamships are so fast now we can offer little competition between Europe and New York," Captain von Gronau said. "But a service direct from Europe via Iceland, Greenland and across the continent to the Pacific Ocean with intermediate stops should offer many advantages and a great saving of time. It is to study such a project that we have made this present flight."

He said he had been in touch with the Royal Canadian Air Force for information about flying conditions and routes in western Canada. The captain was glad to hear his gasoline had arrived safely at Prince Rupert, B.C.

Five River Drivers Drown

Boat Capsized When It Was Sucked Into Rapids

Deux Rivières, Ont.—Four of a party of nine river drivers, employed at sweeping on the Ottawa River for the Upper Ottawa Improvement Company, perished when their boat was sucked into the eddy of the True Rapids and capsized as they were endeavoring to run the turbulent part of the river. Another member of the party is not accounted for and it is feared that he met the same fate. The boat managed to cling to the upturned boat and reached the shore safely while another swam to shore.

Canadian Cattle Sold

Selected Cargo From Saskatchewan University Bought In England

Regina, Sask.—A shipment of cattle from the University of Saskatchewan to England has been sold, according to a cable received by the Department of Agriculture from Dean A. M. Shaw, who is in England.

Particulars were not available as to prices in the cable, said A. H. Auld, Deputy Minister of Agriculture. The shipment from the university was a selected cargo of steers.

Book Of Remembrance

Ottawa, Ont.—Some 68,000 names will be inscribed in the Book of Remembrance which will be placed with in the casket of the altar in the memorial chamber here—names of Canadians who gave their lives in the Great War. The task of executing the volume has been given to James Purvis, heraldic artist, London, Ont.

Use Wooden Money

Klagenfurt, Austria.—They're taking wooden money in the province of Carinthia from the farmers who have not enough coin of the realm to pay their taxes. The government announced that those who had no cash could pay in pine or beechwood at approximately the market price.

Cholera Epidemic In China

Manila.—Reports from interior China indicate thousands are dying daily in virtually every province from a cholera epidemic, which extends into Manchuria and Indo-China. At least 20 out of every 100 persons contracting the disease are dying; it was reported.

Try Cattle Smuggling

Belfast, Northern Ireland.—Attempts to smuggle cattle from the Irish Free State into Northern Ireland began as a result of the tariffs. About 50 head were seized by the Ulster constabulary at Portliff, South Armagh. The drover abandoned the animals and escaped over the border.

Estimating the Crop

Grain Experts Talk Of 430,000,000 Yield This Season

Winnipeg, Man.—Grain experts who have just returned from a crop inspection tour of western Canada, said that conditions at July 30 indicated a prairie wheat crop estimated at 430,000,000, slightly below the 10-year average of 450,000,000 bushels.

Extreme heat during the past 10 days and lack of rain in parts of central and southern Saskatchewan may cause a slight revision of these figures, they stated, but on the whole crop conditions were reported to be fairly good.

Slight deterioration has taken place in southern Saskatchewan in areas which suffered from drought last year, and rainfall is needed if the standard of the crop is to be maintained, they said. Conditions in Alberta, northern Saskatchewan and Manitoba were found to be very good.

TRADE TREATY WITH S. AFRICA EXPECTED SOON

Ottawa, Ont.—Negotiations between Canada and South Africa since the opening of the Imperial Economic Conference have been so successful that a trade agreement, a meeting with is expected in two weeks. It was made clear that this treaty will not conflict with the broader negotiations of the conference.

Experts from the Department of Trade and Commerce, which is under Hon. H. H. Stevens, are meeting with the advisers of the South African delegation and smoothing out the difficulties. They are optimistic that an agreement can be arrived at which will greatly increase the trade between the two countries.

Canada has been seeking for some time to develop trade with South Africa, and this year is buying some 60,000 tons of sugar from that country. There is also hope of increasing the importations of pineapples, wool, oranges, Indian corn, and sisal, a type of hemp cordage.

The balance of trade between the two countries has been considerably in favor of Canada. In the last calendar year she sold South Africa goods to the value of \$9,202,200, and bought from her to the value of \$4,416,400.

In the fiscal year ending March 31, 1933, Canada sold South Africa: wheat, \$2,195,300; rubber tires, \$1,027,400; newspaper, \$1,004,500; automobiles, \$2,023,600; farm machinery, \$630,400; electrical goods, \$400,600; flour, \$275,400; binder twine, \$79,400; wood products, \$300,000; apples, \$49,100; rubber boots and shoes, \$144,000; canned fish, \$121,000; wrapping paper, \$400,000. There was also an extensive list of miscellaneous goods in which it is hoped to increase the sales. Lumber is looked upon as one of the products in which there is considerable possibility.

At the present time South Africa enjoys the British preferential tariff in goods coming into Canada.

SPEED KING TRIES HIS LUCK WITH THE RIFLE



Flight Lieutenant Stainforth, the famous high speed flight pilot, who captured the world's speed record for seaplanes for Britain by travelling at 404 miles an hour, is pictured on his way to compete on the Century Range at Blaisy. In addition to being an expert pilot, Stainforth is also noted for his shooting and has carried off many Air Force trophies at the range.

QUEBEC'S OBSERVER



C. G. Power, K.C., Member of Parliament for Quebec South, who will be official observer for the Province of Quebec at the Imperial Economic Conference.

Wide-Spread Plot

Unearth Plan To Wreck Banks In United States

Chicago.—Melvin A. Traylor, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, said he had reports from practically every large city in the United States concerning a plot to wreck banks by circulating unfounded rumors against them.

Informed of an investigation at Pontiac, Mich., into such a plot, said to have been directed by a radical group interested in fomenting a social revolution, Traylor said the same tactics had been used in Chicago.

"There is no doubt," Traylor said, "but that runs on Chicago banks were caused by circulation of rumors by radically interested persons. Anonymous telephone calls were used in attempts to cause panic among depositors of even the largest and strongest banks."

"Reports were received in Chicago from many other cities where the same system was used. I am of the belief that the plot against banks was nation-wide."

Transients Journey East

Calgary Unemployed Leave For Harvest Fields Of Saskatchewan and Manitoba

Calgary, Alberta.—Calgary's transient unemployed situation was relieved somewhat when Royal Canadian Mounted Police permitted a number of the workless wanderers to journey eastward to harvest fields in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

It was learned, however, the men were still not permitted to journey past Winnipeg. Only those the police felt sure were destined to harvest jobs were allowed to leave Calgary "on the road."

Take Wheat As Cash

Toronto, Ont.—The Canadian branch of a British firm of food products exporters announced that it would take wheat for all products sold in western Canada after August 1. Then it will ship the wheat to Great Britain and market it there.

Soviet Restrictions

Against Sales Removed

Peasants May Sell Products With Exception Of Grain

Moscow, Russia.—Soviet authorities announce a new important step in the direction of removing official restrictions against sales by Russian peasants of their own produce.

Hereafter all peasants living within a distance of about 30 miles of Moscow are freed from contracts which heretofore obligated them to deliver their produce to state co-operative organizations at fixed prices.

An exception was made regarding grain. Grain contracts will remain in operation.

The only reservation is that those peasants who have not joined the collective farms must carry out 50 per cent of their contracts for potato deliveries.

May Leave Ottawa Post

Removed That U.S. Minister To Canada Will Ask For Leave Of Absence

Ottawa, Ont.—Reports on high authority in the capital are that Hon. Clifford Macdonald will ask early next month for leave of absence from his post as United States Minister to Canada. Col. Macdonald, it is understood, will proceed to the United States for the presidential election, and may resign his post after the election on November 1. His name was put in nomination at the recent Chicago Republican convention as candidate for vice-president.

BELIEVES WHEAT TARIFF WOULD BENEFIT CANADA

Winnipeg, Man.—It is not entirely true that the grain trade of Canada and western grain growers consider a preferential tariff in favor of Canadian wheat in the British market would be of no advantage to Canada, according to James R. Murray, general manager of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company Limited, and at one time executive of the United Grain Growers.

In a statement, Mr. Murray said: "It is ridiculous to suggest, as press dispatches from Ottawa during the past few days indicate, that the entire grain trade of Canada and grain growers of the west consider that a preferential tariff in favor of Canadian wheat in the British market would be of no advantage to Canada."

"Confidentially, however, indicating such a view, may have been submitted to the Dominion Government by the authorized spokesmen of various bodies, but it is absurd to assume there is no contrary opinion among those they purport to represent. The official representations made by grain trade spokesmen are not the views of all grain dealers any more than the wheat pools and provincial government express the views of all farmers in the west."

"Almost everyone can agree that a quota system would be cumbersome and useless, but a preferential tariff is a different matter. Personally, I believe the free entry of Canadian wheat into the British market, by far the biggest importing market in the world, with a duty against non-empire wheat, would be a distinct advantage in marketing our Canadian crop and over a period of years would assist in obtaining better prices for our western grain growers."

"Considering the almost prohibitive tariffs against all wheat imports now in effect in all European countries, I believe there is much to be gained and nothing lost by such a preference."

"It seems to me unfortunate, particularly at this time, when wheat growers in western Canada need all the assistance and encouragement they can get, that spokesmen who at best supposedly represent less than half the farmers in the west, should take the position that a preferential tariff on our wheat in the British market is a matter of supreme indifference to them."

"Whatever the views of our western farmers may have been on this matter 15 or 20 years ago, I do not believe they are today indifferent to the advantages that would accrue to them from such a preference."

"I believe that if the Dominion Government can, in exchange for tariff concessions on British manufactures entering the Canadian market they will accomplish something of great benefit to the whole of Canada and will earn the thanks of the majority of farmers and business men in western Canada."

BAN ON CANADIAN LIVE CATTLE TO BE LIFTED SOON

Ottawa, Ont.—Through the disposition of Great Britain to assist Canadian exports, the prairie provinces have scored another bull-eye in the way of trade concessions.

It was announced officially by the British delegations that all discriminations presently enforced against Canadian cattle will be withdrawn. This is another conference contribution made by the British delegates, one which removes disabilities on Canadian cattle exports which have been the source of innumerable protests from the prairie provinces.

At the present time, only Canadian cattle which are incapable of breeding are admitted into Britain. Before shipment they have to pass an examination, must be accompanied on the voyage by a veterinary inspector. Upon landing they have to undergo a period of quarantine.

Canada's chief competitor in the live cattle trade—Ireland—was subjected to no such restrictions. The British delegation notified the Canadian delegation that these obnoxious regulations would be withdrawn, that Canadian live cattle heretofore would be freely admitted into Britain. The date of the change of regulations was not given but presumably it will be at the close of the conference.

Bankers Battle With Bandits

Frustrate Attempt To Rob Branch

Vancouver, B.C.—A bank manager and a clerk frustrated an attempt to rob a branch of the Royal Bank of Canada here Thursday, July 28, when they opened fire on two bandits instead of complying with the order "Hold up your hands." The bank is situated at Sixteenth Avenue and Oak Street.

The two bandits marched into the bank with drawn revolvers and ordered the manager, G. E. Devereaux, to hold up his hands. Mr. Devereaux and the clerk immediately drew their bank weapons, the former firing six shots and the clerk three at the would-be robbers.

The bandits fled without returning the fire and escaped in a stolen auto. This is the second clash with bandits for Mr. Devereaux, who some years ago beat off a bank raid in a similar manner.

Success Of Conference

Lord Haldimand Says Favorable Results Vital To Empire

Ottawa, Ont.—"The conference is shaping like a success," observed Lord Haldimand, British Secretary for War, interviewed here. "We are all working very hard," he added.

"It is absolutely vital that this Ottawa conference should be a success," Lord Haldimand went on. "If it isn't it may mean the breaking up of the Empire within my lifetime. And of course, if the Empire goes, there is little hope for the world."

"Can Great Britain give the full embargo asked for by Australia and Canada on Soviet wheat, lumber, etc.?" Lord Haldimand was asked. "We may not be able to do all that we are asked, but we certainly do something," Lord Haldimand replied.

Adopt Western Method

Harbin, Manchuria.—Banditry, kidnapping and looting continues rife throughout the territory. Three Japanese railway officials were kidnapped. The Pu-Yi Government has decided to adopt the electric chair method of executing criminals instead of shooting or decapitation.

Italy Denies Story

Rome, Italy.—The Ministry of marine has issued a second denial of a London story about an Italian "secret navy." The ministry said the report that two cruisers and two torpedo boats had been ordered constructed a year before the order was announced in parliament was false.

Mystery Shipment Of Gold

London, Eng.—A "mystery" shipment of \$450,000 in gold left Plymouth for New York recently, and the news caused much surprise on the London bourse market. Bankers, however, believed it to be a private transaction.

Arbuckle On Screen Again

New York.—Rocco C. "Patty" Arbuckle is returning to pictures. Warner Brothers announced it was signing the one-time film comedian for a comedy.

War Debts

From the American Criticism U.S. Attitude in Policy Pursued

A primary, indeed a most grievous error in policy was made when the American Government did not accept the suggestion of Lord Balfour in 1922 and cancel the inter-governmental obligations arising from joint participation in the World War. There is of course no answer to the purely legalistic argument that these obligations were real debts and that all debts ought to be paid. The trouble with this legalistic argument is that while flawless it is irrelevant. The fact of the matter is that those who are to receive payments on account of these intergovernmental obligations cannot afford to take them, for the reason that unless the situation which these obligations represent be relieved, the economic and financial condition in every land will grow steadily worse until we are all ruined. Legally the American people are a creditor nation as to these obligations, but as a matter of fact, already in insisting upon that position they have lost in capital values and in destruction of business many times what would ever be received if all these intergovernmental obligations were met in full. When the Congress in December last voted that these intergovernmental war obligations should neither be reduced nor canceled, it declared, without in the least meaning to do so, that it was in favor of prolonging and increasing the present depression. In obedience to that declaration the depression has been prolonged and has grown steadily worse day by day.—Nicholas Murray Butler.

Coffee Becoming More Popular in England

But Tea Consumption Averages About Eight Cups Daily

Britannians drank two and a quarter billion fewer cups of tea in 1931 than in 1929, and almost six billion fewer than in 1929.

But it cannot be said that the tea drinking habit is decreasing rapidly. Consumption in 1931 still averaged approximately eight and a half cups daily for every man, woman and child in the United Kingdom.

The habit of drinking at least one cup of tea before rising in the morning still lingers and rare is the home, or office which does not have its tea regularly every afternoon.

While consumption of tea is decreasing, coffee is becoming more popular. Coffee consumption in 1931 was 33,902,400 pounds, an increase of about 1,500,000 pounds over 1930, but still representing considerably less than one pound per person for the year.

Old Car Is Interesting

Bought at Auction in Toronto For Exhibition Purposes

An automobile sold for \$75 at an auction in Toronto. The car was a 1908 model. About 20 years ago Mrs. Anabelle Mathers closed her home, leaving the vehicle in the garage. A small tree grew in front of the garage door. Then the owner returned recently. The tree was cut down and the ancient car moved out. A representative of the company which made it bought the car and will use it for exhibition purposes.

Oldest Golfer

Friends of John White, of St. John's Nfld., claim that he is the oldest golfer in the British Empire. He started to swing the clubs 75 years ago at Fifehead, Scotland, and is still playing the game at 90. He continues to use a midiron he bought 70 years ago.

Germany is said to be developing a new mysterious death "lone" machine. This machine, it is said, may be able to destroy battleships and airplanes through inaudible sound waves it will send out.

He—"Look, our captain is going to kick the goal!"
She—"What did the goal do?"



"I can make 15 notes that can't be detected."
"Then what are you waiting for?"
"A sample to copy."—Nebelspater, Zurich.

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SCENES AT THE OPENING OF THE GREAT EMPIRE PARLEY



Many colorful scenes were witnessed when the Governor-General travelled in state to the House of Commons to open the Imperial Economic Conference. In the picture on the left Lord Bessborough is shown at attention as he was about to enter the Parliament Buildings, while the photograph on

the right shows a small section of the vast crowd of spectators gathered in front of the Victory Tower to watch the celebrities enter the House of Commons and to hear the speeches of the chief delegates broadcast by the numerous amplifiers outside the main building on Parliament Hill.

Handy Trick Telephone

Helped Sweden's "Match King" To Dismiss Unwelcome Callers
The late Ivar Kreuger, Sweden's "match king," who killed himself in Paris on the eve of the disclosure of the complete collapse of his widespread financial undertakings, was an ingenious person. For a long time he posed as the simple, silent man, shunning publicity, enveloping himself in an atmosphere of mystery. Actually he was active, alert and highly intelligent.

An interesting detail to Kreuger's mechanism of fraud has just been discovered in Stockholm, where some English auditors are investigating the tangled affairs of the Kreuger companies. They were at work in the apartment that has been widely known as Kreuger's "silent room," his sanctum where he received his occasional visitors, when a telephone bell rang. One of the auditors took up the receiver, but got no answer. The bell rang a second time and a third time without a vocal response over the wire. Then it was accidentally discovered that there was a button almost flush with the surface of the desk and that if a book or other object were pushed over it the telephone bell began to ring. It was evidently Kreuger's practice when he wished to get rid of an undesirable caller to give himself a telephone ring by a casual movement and hold an imaginary conversation which required his immediate presence else where thus effectively curtailing the immediate conference.

Some Amusing Wills

Several May Be Seen At Osgoode Hall, Toronto

Ontario has some amusing wills in its records, one of which, written by a rhyming clergyman, may be seen in the Surrogate Court in Osgoode Hall, Toronto. That of the well-known "character," Dr. Dunlop, of Goderich, Ont., is famous and often quoted. He was a man of rough-and-tumble humor.

Part of the estate was left to a sister "because she is married to a minister . . . whom she respects," and a share to another sister "because she is married to nobody, nor is she likely to be, for she is an old maid." Also: "I leave my late brother's watch to my brother Sandy, exhorting him at the same time to give up Whiggery, radicalism and all other sins that do most easily beset him." A friend is left "a silver teapot, to the end that he may drink tea therefrom, to comfort him under the affliction of a sisterly wife." To a third sister "because she is an old maid and pious," give my silver cup, with a sovereign in it. . . . also my grandma's snuff box, as it looks decent to see an old woman taking snuff."

Becoming Minus Quantity

Since 1921, says the Stratford Beacon-Herald, the amount which Germans should pay has ranged all the way from \$31,999,999,999 down to an even \$1,000,000,000. The last amount is just a little better than three per cent. of the first estimate. If the thing keeps on the experts may yet be meeting to decide how much the rest of the world should pay to Germany.

"I had no idea she'd accept me the first time I proposed."
"Did you think she would the second time?"

"There would have been no second time!"

A ruby worth \$10,000 and of the best color has been found at Mogok, in the Shan States.

Auto Plant Is Marvel

Europe's Largest Motor Car Factory Built On Swamp
Following the recent announcement of reciprocal arrangements between Canadian and British companies for marketing new Ford cars in the British Empire and Europe, two steamboat loads of British newspaper editors, including members of the Empire Press Union and representatives of Canadian newspapers, visited Dagenham and inspected Europe's largest motor factory, built by the Ford organization, on what three years ago was literally a lonely swamp on London's doorstep.

The plant is one of the most self-contained in existence, having its own powerhouse, blast furnace, coke ovens, by-product factories, making even such commodities as benzene for motor fuel. It will ultimately employ 15,000 men and turn out cars at two a minute or two hundred thousand yearly.

Experts regard the plant as little short of a miracle, as its 13,500 tons of constructional steel work from British yards rests largely on piles. Electricity is the main motive power, even the six miles of road windows being opened instantly by pressing buttons.

Hints From Sea Gulls

Report Of French Professor Of Interest To Aviators

Aviators will be interested in a report which was recently presented to the Academy of Sciences in Paris by M. Magnan, professor at the College de France, and M. Legue, director of lectures at the Conservatoire National des Arts et Metiers, dealing with the means by which birds and insects can remain stationary in the air according to the movements of their wings. According to this report, a sea gull flaps its wings five times per second, and each time it moves them upward it falls a distance of two inches on account of gravity, whereas a fly, which moves its wings 160 times per second, falls only practically no distance at all. The conclusion drawn by this report is, that if a man weighing about 200 pounds wishes to remain stationary in the air, it will be necessary for him to wear an apparatus with wings which can be moved from thirteen to twenty times per second. A motive power less than one-eighth horsepower would be sufficient to make this possible with wings having a surface of about a square yard. Why doesn't somebody try it?—Christian Science Monitor.

British Trains Speeded Up

Will Have Fastest Service Ever Given Travelling Public

Following the record-breaking runs of their crack trains, the Cheltenham Flyer and the Flying Scotsman, the Great Western Railway and the London and North Eastern Railway respectively have projected "the fastest train service ever offered to the travelling public," to come into operation on July 18.

On the same day a new European rail speed record will be established by the London, Midland and Scottish Railway, when as part of a sweeping programme of train accelerations the Mancunian express will be retimed to cover the 177 miles from Wilmow, near Manchester, to London (Euston) in 172 minutes, at an average speed 61.7 miles per hour.

This is asserted to be the longest non-stop railway journey in Europe to be scheduled at more than 60 miles per hour.

The new record run forms part of a comprehensive speed-up whereby 2,028 L.M.S. trains will be accelerated by a total amount of 6,424 minutes daily.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Work For the Workless

United States To Give Employment On Highway Construction

A quarter of a million men working 30 hours a week for 11 months—that will be the result, a nation-wide survey indicated, of the United States \$120,000,000 federal appropriation to aid states in highway construction.

In practically every state, the construction programme, designed to make the jobless self-sustaining, was hailed as a vigorous step in the right direction. Relief workers generally were enthusiastic over the provision for a 30-hour week, thus providing jobs for more workers over a longer period.

Wool Industry Hard Hit

No branch of agriculture has been harder hit in recent years—not alone in the depression period—than the wool-growing industry. Departmental statistics show the value of the 1931 clip at eight cents a pound, compared with 11 cents in 1929, 22 cents in 1927; and 62 cents in 1913.

India is developing a motion picture industry and turning out home-made films.

Although wood will float on water, sawdust will sink to the bottom.

Health and Wealth

Statistics Show People Not Suffering Physically From Hard Times

In spite of widespread unemployment and wage reductions, 1932 has been so far "the best of all health years" for a large section of the industrial population of the United States and Canada. Health conditions from the first of the year to the end of May have been better than ever before for the same period of the year, statistics collected by a life insurance company show.

During this period the death rate among the company's industrial policyholders reached the unprecedented low figure of 9.2 per 1,000. The death rate for May alone was 8.5 per 1,000, the lowest, with the exception of May, 1931, ever recorded for this month. The low rates are due chiefly to large drops in the death rates for three important diseases, tuberculosis, pneumonia and influenza.

A new low point in the tuberculosis death rate this year is expected on the basis of the low figure set during the January-May period, which is the part of the year when mortality from this disease is always highest. Accidents, even automobile accidents, caused fewer deaths than far in 1932 than in the same period of 1931, and there were fewer deaths than ever before connected with childbirth.

The dark spot on this picture of good health is caused by increases in the deaths from diabetes and cancer. The mortality from cancer is much higher than ever before with a rise of almost eight per cent. since 1931.

No Great Difference

Bottom Of Ocean Is Just Like Ground Ashore

Tom Eadie, noted diver, answering the question of what it is like at the bottom of the ocean says: "On a bright day, and on a sandy or gravelly bottom, you can see all around you at a depth of 120 feet. You can't see so far on a cloudy day, and on a mud bottom on a cloudy day you can't see anything at all and have to go by feeling. And the bottom of the ocean is just like the ground ashore. There are little rises, and a little hollow. Perhaps there will be a rock sticking up here and there."

Kept Her Promise

The Scotch doctor lay dying. After fifty years of helping others into and out of this world, he himself was to be called to face the noblest experiment of them all. With almost his last breath he said to his wife, the faithful companion of his joys and sorrows:

"When I'm to be buried I want a namplate on my coffin."

"To shall have it," assured the widow-to-be; and contentedly the ancient physician turned his face to the wall.

And on the morning of his funeral the passers-by noticed that the polished brass plate which had graced the doctor's doorpost was missing; and the graveside-standers read through their tears, as they lowered the casket into the earth, "Angus Abernethy, M.D., Office hours 9 to 11 a.m."

North Magnetic Pole In Canada

The north magnetic pole is located in Boothia Peninsula on the Arctic Coast of Canada, and the south magnetic pole in South Victoria Land south from New Zealand.

Canadian honey was exported to the United Kingdom, Netherlands, Germany, France, United States and several other countries during 1931.

A tadpole that is turning into a frog consumes its tail as sustenance.

For Atlantic Air Service

Careful Surveys Being Made To Ensure Success Of Undertaking

In the surrounding slowness in industry it is heartening to note that in one direction, at least, thought is being taken for an expanding future. That is in the work of advancing plans for a regular trans-Atlantic Air Service between this continent and Europe. Expeditions have started out for the east and the west coasts of Greenland with a view to obtaining weather data for a complete year. Accurate information of this nature is very essential to the success of establishing a permanent air service across the Atlantic. One expedition is headed by the noted explorer, H. G. Watkins. He is establishing two bases in Greenland, just south of the Arctic Circle. The other expedition is to be carried out by the University of Michigan under Dr. R. L. Bellup.

The latter party will conduct research work on the Greenland tecton itself as well as on the west coast. The work has been put under way by Pan-American Airways. It is interesting to note that little or no flying surveys will be made during the first twelve months. The expeditions will confine themselves at first to studies of air currents, storms, and general atmospheric conditions. A trans-Atlantic Air Service, when it does arrive, will have to be established on a very firm foundation of known facts in respect of conditions to be met. There is every indication that those interested in its establishment are taking every precaution with each step they make.—Winnipeg Free Press.

New Torpedo Rocket

Successful Tests Made In Germany Of Invention Of Hanser Engineer

A successful secret test of a new torpedo-like rocket was conducted at Dummer Lake, Germany, recently. The rocket, invented by the Hanser engineer, Reinhold Tilling, is about eight feet long and equipped with wings about 10 feet wide. The rocket shot into the air and the wings unfolded at an altitude of more than 6,000 feet, permitting the rocket to glide to earth.

The speed of the rocket and the distance covered in the experiment were not disclosed, but Tilling was said to be ready for a public demonstration soon.

Turned the Tables

Great Throat Specialist Got Even With Celebrated Painter

Whistler once called in Sir Morell Mackenzie, the great throat specialist of the Victorian era, and when Mackenzie arrived at the painter's house he found that he was expected to treat a sick French poet. Naturally he was none too pleased, but he saw to the dog, took his fee, and went away. A little while later Mackenzie sent for Whistler urgently, and when the latter arrived greeted him with, "Oh, I'm glad you've come; I just wanted to ask you about having my front door painted."

Nationality Of Women

Petition Sent To Ottawa Asking For Removal Of Disabilities

Legal anomalies in the nationality of women are the subject of a petition which has been forwarded to Ottawa for consideration. The petition was circulated by Mrs. P. F. Casagrain, wife of the chief Liberal Whip, and Lady Drummond. The petition asks the removal of all disabilities that married women are now under in the matter of nationality and urges the adoption of uniform legislation throughout the Empire.

According to Dr. W. J. Humphreys, of the U.S. weather bureau, there are about 4,000,000 cubic miles of ice on Greenland, the Antarctic continent, and Iceland.

The trouble with the man who knows nothing is that he is always the last to find it out.



"If you want to get this, you must eat only fruit, toast, lean meat, and drink orange juice."
"Before or after meals?"—Buen Humor, Madrid.

FANCIFUL FABLES



THE GARBAGE MAN TAKES HIS FAMILY OUT MOTORING

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THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

MARGARET FIDLER
Author of
"The Splendid Folly," "The Herald
of the Past," "The Herald of the Future,"
Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd., London.

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But she had courage enough to face the consequences of that refusal, to stand up to the clatter of poisonous tongues that must ensue; and trust enough to bank on the loyalty of her real friends, knowing it would be the same splendid loyalty that she herself would have given to any one of them in like circumstances. For Jean was a woman who was more than mere lip-service from those who called themselves her friends.

Burke had never been more mistaken in his calculations than when he counted upon forcing her hand by the mere fear of scandal. But none the less he held her, and held her in the meshes of a far stronger and more binding net, had he but realized it.

Looking back upon the episode from which her present predicament had actually sprung, Jean could almost have found it in her heart to smile at the relative importance which, at the time, that same incident had assumed in her eyes.

It had seemed to her, then, that for Blaise ever to hear that she had been locked in a room with Burke, had spent an uncounted hour or so with him at the "honeymooners' inn" would be the uttermost calamity that could befall her.

He would never believe that it had been by no will of hers—so she had thought at the time—and that three years' jealousy which had been the origin of their quarrel, and of all the subsequent mutual misunderstandings and aloofness, would be roused to fresh life, and his distrust of her become something infinitely more difficult to combat.

But compared with the present situation which confronted her, the happenings of that past day faded into insignificance. She stood, now, face to face with a choice such as surely few women had been forced to make.

Whichever way she decided, whichever of the two alternatives she accepted, her happiness must pay the price. Nothing she could ever say or do, afterwards, would set her right in the eyes of the man whose belief in her meant everything. Whether she agreed to marry Burke, returning home in the odour of sanctity within the next hour or two, or whether she refused and returned the next morning—free, but with the incontrovertible fact of a night spent at Burke's bungalow, alone with him, behind her, Blaise would never trust or believe in her love for him again.

And if she promised to marry Burke and so save her reputation, it must automatically mean the end of everything between herself and the man she loved—the dropping of an iron curtain compared with which the wall built up out of their frequent misunderstandings in the past seemed something as trifling and as easily demolished as a card house.

On the other hand, if she risked her good name and kept her freedom, she would be equally as cut off from him. Not that she feared that Blaise would take the blackest view of the affair—she was sure that he believed in her enough not to misjudge her for the worst night do—but he would inevitably think that she had deliberately chosen to spend an afternoon on the Moor alone with Burke—"playing with fire" exactly as he had warned her not to, and getting her fingers

burnt in consequence—and he would accept it as a sheer denial of the silent pledge of love understood which bound them together.

He would never trust her again—nor forgive her. No man could. Love's loyalty, rocked by the swift currents of jealousy and passion, is not of the same quality as the steady loyalty of friendship—that calm, unshakable confidence which may exist between man and man or woman and woman.

Moreover—and here alone was where the fear of gossip troubled her—even if the inconceivable happened and Blaise forgave and trusted her again, she could not go to him with a shared name, give him herself—when the gift was outwardly tarnished. The Tormarin pride was unyielding as a rock—and Tormarin women had always been above suspicion. She could not break the tradition of an old name—do that disservice to the man she loved! No, if she could find no way out of the web in which she had been caught she was set as far apart from Blaise as though they had never met. Only the agony of meeting and remembrance would be with her for the rest of life!

Jean envisaged very clearly the possibilities that lay ahead—enviaged them with a breathless, torturing perception of their immensity. It was to be a fight—here and now—for the happiness that life might hold. She turned to Burke breaking at last the long silence which had descended upon them.

"And what do you suppose I feel towards you, Geoffrey? Will you be content to have your wife think of you—as I must think?"

A faint shadow flitted across his face. The quiet scorn of her words—and their underlying significance—flicked him on the raw.

"I'll be content to have you as my wife—at any price," he said stubbornly. "Jean"—a sudden urgency in his tones—"try to believe I hate all this as much as you do. When you're my wife, I'll spend my life in teaching you to forget it—in wiping the very memory of today out of your mind."

"I shall never forget it," she said slowly. Then bitterly: "I wonder why you even offer me a choice—when you know that it is really no choice."

"Why? Because I swore to you that I should give me what I want—that I wouldn't take even a kiss from you again by force. But—un- even—'I didn't know what it meant—the waiting!'"

Outside, the mist had thickened into fog, curtaining the windows. The light had dimmed to a queer, glimmering dusk, changing the values of things, and out of the shifting shadows her white face, with its scarlet line of scornful mouth, gleamed at him—elusive, tantalizing as a flower that ways out of reach. In the uncertain half-light which struggled in through the dulled window-panes there was something provocative, maddening—a kind of etherealized lure of the senses in the wavering, shadowed loveliness of her. The man's pulses leaped; something within him slipped its leash.

"Kiss me!" he demanded hoarsely. "Don't keep me waiting any longer. Give me your lips . . . now . . . now . . ."

She sprang aside from him, warding him off. Her eyes stormed at him out of her white face.

"You promised!" she cried, her voice sharp with fear. "You promised!"

The tension of the next moment strained her nerves to breaking-point. Then he fell back. Slowly his arms dropped to his sides without touching her, his hands clenching with the effort that it cost him.

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be quite justified in the circumstances."

He smiled a little and shook his head. "No," he said quietly. "I'm not afraid of that. If you give me your word, I know you'll keep it. You wouldn't be—you—if you could do otherwise."

For a moment Jean was tempted, fiercely tempted to take his blind belief in her and use it to extricate herself from the position into which he had thrust her. As she herself had said, the circumstances were such as almost to justify her. Yet something within her, something that was an integral part of her whole nature, rebelled against the idea of giving a promise which, from the moment that she made it, she would have no smallest intention of keeping. It would be like the breaking of a prisoner's word, the giving of parole—equally mean and dishonourable.

With a little mental shrug she dismissed the idea and the brief temptation. She must find some other way, some other road to safety. If only he would leave her alone, leave her just long enough for her to make a rush for it—out of the house into that wide wilderness of mist-wrapped moor!

It would be a virtually hopeless task to find her way to any village or to the farthest, three miles away, of which Burke had spoken. She knew that. Even more-wise folk not infrequently entirely lost their bearings in a Dartmoor mist, and as far as she herself was concerned, she had not the remotest idea in which direction the nearest habitation lay. It would be a hazardous experiment—fraught with danger. But danger was preferable to the dreadful safety of the bungalow.

A brief space, stung to swift decision by that tense moment when Burke's self-mastery had given way, she had made up her mind to risk the open moor. But for that she must somehow contrive to be left alone. She must gain time—time to shake Burke's suspicions by pretending to make the best of the matter, and then, on some pretext or other, get him out of the room. It was the sole way of escape she could devise.

"Well, which is it to be?" Burke's voice broke in harshly upon the wild turmoil of her thoughts. "You promise—and Staple within an hour and a half? Or—the other alternative?"

"I don't think it can be either—," she said quietly. "What you're asking—it's too big a question for me to decide all in a minute. Don't you see?"—with a rather shaky little laugh—"It means my whole life? I—I must have time, Geoffrey. I can't decide now. What time is it?"

"Seven o'clock."

He struck a match, holding the flame close to the dial of his watch. "Seven o'clock."

"Only that?" The words escaped her involuntarily. It seemed hours, an eternity, since she had read those few brief words contained in Judith's telegram. And it was barely an hour ago!

"Then—then I can have a little time to think it over," she said with a moment. "We could get back to Staple by ten if we left here at eight-thirty?"

"There or thereabouts. We should have to go along through this infernal mist. Jean"—his voice took on a note of passionate entreaty—"mustn't you give me your promise and let me take you home? You shall never regret it. I—"

"Oh, hush!" she checked him quickly. "I can't answer you now, Geoffrey. I must have time—time. Don't press me now."

"Very well." There was an unaccustomed gentleness in his manner. Perhaps something in the intense weariness of her tones appealed to him. "Are you very tired, Jean?"

"Do you know?"—she spoke with some surprise, as though the idea had only just presented itself to her—"do you know, I believe I'm hungry! It sounds very material of me!"—laughing a little. "A woman in my predicament ought to be quite alone—or beyond—mere pangs of hunger."

"Hungry? By Jove, and well you might be by this hour of the day!" he exclaimed remorsefully. "Look here, we'll have supper. There are some chops in the larder. We'll cook them together—and then you'll see what a really domesticated husband I shall make."

"Chops! How heavenly! I'm afraid—apologetically—"It's very unromantic of me, Geoffrey!"

He laughed and, striking a match, lit the lamp.

"Disastrously so! But there are moments for romance and moments for chops. And this is distinctly the mo-

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ment for chops. Come along and help me cook 'em."

He flashed a keen glance at her face as the sudden lamplight dispelled the shadows of the room. But there was nothing in it to contradict the insouciance of her speech. Her cheeks were a little flushed and her eyes very bright, but her smile was quite natural and unforced. Burke reflected that women were queer, unfathomable creatures. They would fight you to the last ditch and then suddenly surrender, probably liking you in secret all the better for having mastered them.

He had forgotten that he was dealing with a daughter of Jacqueline Maevoy. All the acres that was Jean's mother came out in her now called up from some hidden fount of inherited knowledge to meet the imperative need of the moment.

(To Be Continued.)

Accommodation Limited

Only 260,000 Seats in Amusement Places in Paris

Should the entire population of Paris decide to amuse, show or movie some evening, nearly 3,000,000 spectators could not find accommodation.

Recent statistics show that in spite of the reputation Paris has for being "the greatest theatre city in the world," all the theatres, music halls, concert halls, circuses, cabarets, movie houses, cafes-concerts, total only 260,000 seats.

Movies lead with 180,478. The largest boasts of 4,500 seats, the smallest a mere 10. Theatres are second, 47,830 seats, and music halls, circuses, cabarets and cafes-concerts grouped total only 26,450.

Private halls rented from time to time for special performances make up the balance of the 260,000 accommodation.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaels

WAGES

One may ask a wage of wealth or fame Or honour to assume Life's idle game; While one may hope to find His days will be Always serene and kind, From troubles free.

But this the wage I ask: When I am through With weary toil and task, To come to you; To find you waiting here By my hearth fire, This all my wage most dear, My heart's desire.

This is the wage I ask: No gold, no praise; But, after toil and task, Your love always.

Hearing Is Impaired

By Modern Noises

Deafness Increasing in Great Britain

At Alarming Rate The noise of modern traffic, riveting and pneumatic drilling machines, is straining British ears "more than God ever intended them to be" and is increasing deafness at an alarming rate.

Thus spoke an official of the National Institute for the Deaf recently. It is estimated that there already are more than 3,000,000 cases of impaired hearing in this country.

Extensive preventive work has been undertaken by the school authorities.

If all the ice in Greenland and Antarctica should melt, enough water would be added to the oceans to raise their level 150 feet.

Louis Pasteur died while investigating the diseases of the silkworm.

A Remarkable Lake

In Saskatchewan

Curative Properties Of Waters Of

Mountain Lake Are Widely Known

About sixty miles east of Saskatchewan, Saskatchewan, is the town of Watrous, a divisional point on the railway where Mountain time—replacing Central Time—comes into effect. A short distance to the north of Watrous is Little Manitou Lake, fourteen miles long by one and a half miles wide, and generally recognized as being one of the most remarkable mineralized bodies of water in the world. The curative properties of its waters for rheumatism and diseases of the skin are undoubtedly great, the proof being seen in the beneficial results obtained every summer by visitors to the lake. A comparative analysis of the waters of this lake with those of the famous Carlsbad of Germany, showed the former to be even richer in saline and other medicinal qualities than the latter.

Not only are the waters rich in medicinal qualities, they also afford excellent bathing, and being six times more buoyant than the waters of the ocean, bathers may lie on their surface leisurely—and read or smoke if they so desire. The sand on the shore possesses the same curative properties as its waters, hence the vogue of sand baths.

Long Wait In Store

Car Owner Thought "Self-Starters"

Meant Just That

Mr. Smith had inherited a large sum of money. The first thing he bought with new wealth was a motor car.

After a few driving lessons on his garage proprietor's car he thought he would try his hand at driving his own new car.

All went well for a time. Presently, while trying to change down into second gear, he stalled his engine and the car came to a standstill.

Smith, however, just leaned back in his seat and made no attempt to restart it.

A policeman who had seen the car come to a standstill approached Smith.

"Can I assist you at all, sir?" he asked.

Smith shook his head. "No, thank you, officer," he replied. "It is quite all right. You see, this is one of those self-starting cars. I'm just waiting for it to start."

Results Are Miraculous

When Business Or Timber Growing Is

Aided By Science

When scientific brains are applied to the business of growing timber, the result appears miraculous. Dr. J. H. White of the faculty of forestry, Toronto, reports that sections of Switzerland, under expert forest management are producing such mighty annual crops of timber as to be able to sustain Ontario's pulp and paper industry in perpetuity on the growth of just 100 townships.

At present Ontario owns the equivalent of 5,000 townships of timber, and the possibilities of production under an intensive program are almost incalculable all over Canada.—Brandon Sun.

Rural and Urban Residents

Of the population of Canada 66.3 per cent. are rural dwellers and 33.7 per cent. reside in urban centres. Ten years ago the proportions were 66.5 per cent. rural and 33.5 per cent. urban. The largest proportion of rural population is found in Prince Edward Island, where the country residents represent 76.8 per cent.

The total length of public road in Great Britain is 11,236 miles. For every square mile of country there are, on the average, two miles of highway.

Little Helps For This Week

"Let us love one another, for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God."—1 John iv. 7.

Our God is Love, and that which we miscall Evil in this good world that He has made.

Is meant to be a little, tender shade Between us and His glory,—that is all; And he who loves the best his fellow-men

Is loving God the holiest way he can. —Alice Cary.

The desire to be beloved is ever restless and unsatisfied; but the love that flows out upon others is a perpetual well-spring from on high. —Lydia M. Child.

Love is God's loaf, and this is that feeding for which we are taught to pray.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Lake Rates On Grain

Said To Be the Lowest Now Since 1915

Grain rates by water from the head of the lakes to Montreal, have been stabilized at 4½ cents per bushel through the establishment of the Association Lake Freighters, Limited, in which all the Canadian lake steamship companies are associated. Incorporation of the company was announced in the Canada Gazette at Ottawa.

The rate of 4½ cents is the lowest since 1915 when 4.99 cents per bushel was paid. A peak of 11.54 was reached in 1920, a gradual decrease having taken place since then.

Shippers declare that the present rate is not sufficient to enable them to defray the cost of insurance and meet overhead expenses and several owners are understood not to be carrying full insurance coverage on their vessels.

Market For Potatoes

Britain's Import Duty Against Foreign Potatoes May Benefit Canada

Placing of an import duty against foreign potatoes by Great Britain will prove "a fine thing for the Dominion," said S. K. Henry, member of a Toronto wholesale potato firm.

"For some years past there has been an embargo against our potatoes entering the British market. Eastern Canada and particularly the people of the maritimes, have tried in vain to have the restrictions lifted. In the meantime German, French and Dutch potatoes have been moving into the United Kingdom market. England, particularly, has been paying attractive figures for those potatoes," said Mr. Henry.

The Eleven-Year Sunspot Cycle

Sunspots vary in number in an irregular "cycle." The last minimum occurred in 1923 followed by a maximum in 1928. In recent months sunspots have been so scarce that the next minimum will probably arrive a year or more earlier than 1934-7, when the average duration of the cycle a minimum might be expected.

The Egyptians were among the world's great archers, using the bow as their main weapon in fighting.

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Remember the baseball game on Sunday—Irricana vs Crossfield.

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The following from Onell district enjoyed a very pleasant picnic on the banks of the Little Red Deer on Sunday, and a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Onell, former residents of the Onell district.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams, Ray and May Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. "Shorty" Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aldred, Mr. and Mrs. Win Landymore, Chas. and Jim Aldred, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McElhardy.

The day was spent in swimming, games, etc. Fred Adams got rather a rough ride in crossing a freshet, his car collided with a large fish and for a time it looked as if Fred was going to get a ducking.

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Luke Wallace

Adam Cruickshank, Ed. Meyers, Fred Baker and Frank Brown returned on Thursday evening last after a motor trip through the mountains. They visited Banff, Golden, Windermere, Cranbrook, and other intervening points. All report a wonderful trip.

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Sunday, August 7th.
11.00 a. m. Holy Communion.



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W. Miller and J. Zanni played for the McCool evening last and never got to first base. Clarence Havens and Jim McCool proved too good and ran up a 50 to 18 count.

Carl Tronnes who has been in charge of the Alberta Pacific elevator at Madden, has been transferred to Trochu, Alberta, and will be leaving about the 15th for that point.

John Williams was the big noise in the Hustler-Booster baseball game at Calgary on Monday evening. Glen collected four hits out of four times up, fielded perfectly, and pulled off a circus catch that saved the game for the Boosters.

Mrs. M. Porteous who has been visiting her brothers Jim and John Robertson, left on Monday for her home in Carlyle, Sask. Mrs. Porteous had been advised that her son underwent an operation for appendicitis on Thursday which caused her to hurry home.

The first game of the play-off in the Bush League, will be played at Dog Pound on Sunday, Aug. 7th, at 2.30.

EARLY DAYS OF CROSSFIELD

By P. L. McANALLY

Our First Sports Day, July 1, 1904
There is not any one more pleased than the writer that the Dominion Day celebration here was a success.

Our first sports were held on July 1, 1904, and attended by a large crowd. Where the people came from is hard to understand.

Every one and their families for many miles around were here. Crossfield sports day was an annual event after that, and looked forward to by everyone in the community as a real holiday.

Competition was keen in every event, and perhaps some records broken.

Jas. Sutherland had the only large flag in the hamlet, but every house and every place of business was decorated with small flags and streamers.

Among the leading athletes were "Jack" Grazeley, "Jock" Purvis, Dave Rambo, and others that I cannot at present recall.

"Bunk" Coffin was usually a winner in the barrel race on a white pony owned by the late W. B. Edward.

Hector McKenzie was always to the front with Croppy. A horse that in the past won races at Calgary and other places.

Dr. Bishop had a winner in a white pony that also won races in Calgary. No harness races until the present race track was constructed.

The old straight away race track started at a small slough near Geo. Murdoch's house, and the finish was at Alex Gordon's corner. The telephone line was supposed to give the jockey his direction.

There was bucking horses in those days and men that could ride them.

In the girls' races under 8 and 16 years, Mary McAnally was always an easy winner, and later at Edmonton High School Sports was always an outstanding winner in races.

Mrs. Archie Knox (nee Edna Catling) now of British Columbia was an outstanding winner.

The late Robt. McCool was a promising sprinter and a winner in boys races.

After Crossfield became incorporated as a village the sports were held on the anniversaries of the incorporation in June.

Everyone did their part towards promoting these events. Special mention might be in order here of some who were interested with the management of these sports, viz, the late Jas. McCool; late W. B. Edwards, late Jerry Marston; Geo. Becker, Chas. Hultgren, Jas. Maley and Alex McCrimmon.

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Local and General

Geo. Becker of Turner Valley spent the week-end in town.

Henry Johnson is spending a two week's holiday on the farm.

Mrs. L. H. Butterick of Biggar, Sask. is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Miller.

Radio licenses can be secured at the office of R. C. M. Police, Crossfield.

Miss Margaret Fitzpatrick is visiting friends in Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Joy of Kitchico are visiting their daughter, Mrs. O. Bills.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hall left on Sunday to spend a few days at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist and children were visitors in Calgary on Sunday.

The Misses Mildred and Mary Brandon left on Wednesday to visit friends in Calgary.

John Jacks has received the appointment as postmaster at Dog Pound, to succeed G. B. Hunter who recently resigned.

Volunteers of the Board of Trade finished building the high-board fence at the nuisance grounds on Tuesday.

Constable Jarman R. C. M. P. was all decked out in his new uniform on Monday morning, and looked pretty natty.

Miss Myrtle Methelal who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, returned to her home here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Stafford of Mossleigh, Alberta, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ballam and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fox left on Sunday on a motor trip to Banff and Radium.

Stanley Reid returned on Sunday from a motor trip to Chilliwic, B. C. where he had been visiting his parents.

A. W. Gordon left on Tuesday morning to adjust hail losses in the Innisfail and Alliance districts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCool, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Nichol were picnickers at Jumping Pond on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stauffer and daughters returned home on Monday after spending several days at Sylvan Lake.

Geo. Huser has purchased four new Massey-Harris binders. Wilson Stafford has bought a new Massey-Harris binder and a mower. Herb Stewart has purchased a Massey-Harris push binder.

Rev. A. D. Currie is leaving on Monday to visit his father in Scotland who is confined to bed. It is over twenty years since Mr. Currie last visited his home.

Alderman Geo. C. Miller of Vancouver, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mair on Wednesday on his way to Edmonton to attend the Unemployed Conference.

Mrs. J. Belshaw and children, Mrs. Ivor and the Seville children returned home on Sunday from Sylvan Lake where they have been holidaying for the past two weeks.

Geo. O. Davis formerly of Crossfield and now of Drumheller and Mrs. Davis with two children were in town on Monday. Mr. Davis is chief in the power house at Drumheller and is now on a two week's vacation.

Mrs. A. T. Bassett of Penticton, B. C. has been visiting Mrs. A. Cruickshank and Mrs. C. H. Weber. Mrs. Bassett has enjoyed her visit to Crossfield immensely and speaks very highly of our town and district.

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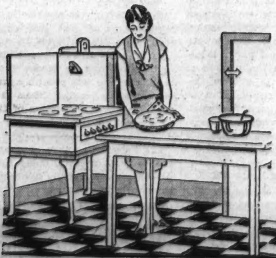
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